BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

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IN RE: PETITION OF US LEC
TENNESSEE, INC. FOR DECLARATORY
ORDER
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DOCKET NO. 02-00890

JOINT MOTION TO MODIFY SCHEDULING ORDER

Come now the parties, by and through counsel, and request a modification of the Scheduling Order entered by the TRA in this matter on May 23, 2003.

Both parties request an extension of time within which to complete discovery for this case. As counsel for the parties have made every attempt to comply with the Scheduling Order, a substantial number of issues and documents must be reviewed and evaluated by counsel for the parties. As such, the parties request a modification of the Scheduling Order as follows:

September 30, 2003, responses to discovery requests due.

October 31, 2003, supplemental discovery requests due.

December 5, 2003, responses to supplemental discovery requests due.

February 6, 2004, pre-filed direct testimony due.

March 31, 2004, pre-filed rebuttal testimony due.

Hearing dates to be announced later.

Respectfully submitted,

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